YADAV): (a) The employment generation under the Rural Landless Employment Guarantee Programme (RLEGP) is being monitored in terms of number of mandays of employment created. A statement showing State/Union Territory-wise generation of employment from the year 1983-84 to 1987-88 is given in the Statement annexed. [See Appendix CXLIV, Annexure No. 100].

(b) While the provision of guarantee of employment under the programme has not yet been implemented in any of the States/Union Territories during the last four years, there is at present, however, no proposal under consideration to drop the word 'Guarantee' from the name of the Programme.

Hunger Strike by Mother Dairy Workers' Welfare Union

2202. SHRI RAM AWADHESH SINGH: Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Mother Dairy Workers' Welfare Union had gone on a hunger strike in front of Lt. Governor's office on 30th September, 1987;

(b) what were their main demands and what action has been taken by Government to redress their grievances; and

(c) whether the Lt. Governor, Delhi had given any assurance to the Union, and if so, what action has been taken thereon?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE AND COOPERATION IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE (SHRI YOGENDRA MAKWANA): (a) to (c) The Mother Dairy have reported that the Workers' Welfare Union did not inform them whether they observed one day fast on 30-9-1987. However, some reports which appeared in the Press indicate that the Mother Dairy Workers' Welfare Union observed fast in front of Lt. Governor's office on 30-9-1987. The Press Reports contained some allegations of corruption and mismanagement which the Mother Dairy have refuted.

Irregularities in Okhla Project by NCCF

2203. SHRI RAM AWADHESH SINGH: Will the Minister of FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES be pleased to refer to the reply to Unstarred Question 855 given in the Rajya Sabha on the 31st July, 1987 and state:

(a) what are the details of serious irregularities pointed out by the Sub-Committee of Directors of the NCCF in the execution of the Okhla project giving the particulars of the officers involved;

(b) whether it is a fact that a syndicate of officers awarded the work to the Architect and Contractor and had opened a separate Bank Account of the NCCF for easy manipulations without the approval of the Board and cheated the NCCF of huge funds for personal benefits through the Contractor and the Architect;

(c) whether it is also a fact that the project report of the Chartered Accountant is in fact the report of working of the NCCF and not that of the Okhla Project; and

(d) if so, what are the reasons for not handing over this case to the CBI as also for not suspending the guilty officers still in service of the NCCF for committing serious malpractices?

THE MINISTER OF PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS AND THE MINISTER OF FOOD AND CIVIL SUPPLIES (SHRI H. K. L. BHAGAT): (a) The Sub-Committee of Directors pointed out certain shortcomings in the execution of the Okhla Project namely, the doubt about the competence of the Industrial Committee to approve such a project, absence of the